



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant :	Brian D. Andresen et al	Docket No. :	IL-10380
Serial No. :	09/917,475	Art Unit :	2856
Filed :	July 27, 2001	Examiner	D. Rogers
For :	POROUS PROTECTIVE SOLID PHASE MICRO-EXTRACTION SHEATH		

Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR 1.136(a))

1. This is a petition for an extension of the time for a total period of three months to respond to the Office Action mailed on 4/30/2004.
2. A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested:
  - ◆ is filed herewith
  - has been filed.
  - the response is the filing of a file wrapper or other continuation application having an express abandonment conditioned on the granting of a filing date to the continuing application.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 CFR 1.8(a)

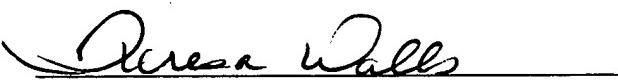
I hereby certify that the *attached* correspondence comprising:

1. Amendment ( 8 pages)
2. Petition and Fee for Extension of Time (in duplicate) (2 pages)
3. Postcard

is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as EXPRESS MAIL in an envelope addressed to:

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3. Applicant is

- ◆ a small entity - verified statement:
  - attached
  - ◆ already filed.
  - other than a small entity

4. Calculation of extension fee (37 CFR 1.17(a)-(d)):

Total months <u>requested</u>	Fee for other than <u>small entity</u>	Fee for <u>small entity</u>
○ one month	\$110.00	\$55.00
○ two month	\$430.00	\$215.00
◆ three month	\$980.00	\$490.00
○ four month	\$1,530.00	\$765.00
	Fee	<hr/> \$55.00

5. Fee Payment

- ◆ Charge Account No. 12-0695 in the amount of \$490.00.
- ◆ **Charge Account No. 12-0695** for any additional extension and/or fee required or credit for any excess fee paid.

Dated: 11-1-04



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